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In re Patent Application of)
Jun ARAKAWA) Group Art Unit: 1755
Application No.: 09/800,778) Examiner: Helene G. Klemanski
Filed: March 8, 2001) Confirmation No.: 8391
For: INK-JET INK, METHOD OF)
MANUFACTURING THE SAME, AND)
INK JET RECORDING METHOD)

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

The following extension of time is requested to respond to the Official Action issued on November 13, 2002:

one month to March 13, 2003; the extension fee is:

\$55.00 (2251) \$110.00 (1251).

The shortened statutory period has been reset by an Advisory Action dated

An extension fee in the amount of \$ 110.00 is enclosed.

Charge \$ _____ to Deposit Account No. 02-4800.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any appropriate fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16, 1.17 and 1.21 that may be required by this paper, and to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 02-4800. This paper is submitted in duplicate.

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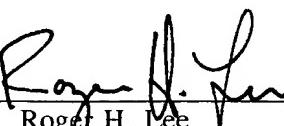
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